IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Stempfer, et al.

Application No.: 10/568,329

Filing Date: February 15, 2006

Title: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF RECOMBINANT

PEPTIDES

Group Art Unit: 1633 Examiner: Nguyen, Ouang

Confirmation No. 2915

Extension fee for response within first month:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 8, 2008, which was due on February 8, 2008, to June 8, 2008.

		[]	By other than a small entity \$ 120
Extensio	on fee for response within second month:	() ()	By a small entity (Section 1.9(f)) \$ 230 By other than a small entity \$ 460
Extensio	on fee for response within third month:	() ()	By a small entity (Section 1.9(f)) \$ 525 By other than a small entity \$ 1,050
Extension	on fee for response within fourth month:	[] [X]	By a small entity (Section 1.9(f)) \$ 820 By other than a small entity \$1,640
0	Submitted herewith is a check for \$ to cover the cost of the extension.		
[X]	Charge \$1,640 to Deposit Account No. 12-2355.		
[X]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in		

response to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-2355.

Respectfully submitted,

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